

No. 4821

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Barbarin Dr. J. S.

Residence Curator C.G.A.

Date May 28, 1889

To Rec'd Committee on Building

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Asks authority to have
walls cut in sky light
spaces of Galleries to
furnish light to painters

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The Corcoran Gallery of Art.

Washington, D.C. May 28/89.

To the Committee on the Building

"The Corcoran Gallery of Art"

Gentlemen

I respectfully ask authority to have eight openings or windows, cut through the lath and plaster walls of the sky-light spaces of the East, West, South East, and South West galleries, and also that of the Octagon room. These openings are necessary to afford light to the painters now at work in the adjoining lofts, portions of which are almost totally dark, and it is not possible that the painting should be properly done, unless the men

The Corcoran Gallery of Art,

Washington, D.C.

are allowed light.

The openings can be cut
for about \$12 or \$15.

Very respectfully,

H. F. Barbarin,
Asst. Curator

Curator
H. F. Barbarin

M^r Edward Clark is sick.

No. 4825

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Nenton J. C.

Residence

Date June 7, 1889,

Rec'd

Ack'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Proposal to paint
walls & ceilings of
hall over main staircase
\$383, p 325.

Not accepted

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WALL PAINTING
A SPECIALTY

4822
KALSOMINING, GRAINING,
GLAZING, &c.

HOUSE, SIGN J. C. NEWTON,
AND DECORATIVE PAINTER,
713 Eighteenth Street, N. W. Bet. Penn. Ave. and G Street.

Washington, D. C. July 20 1889

Dr Barbarin

Dear Sir

I propose & agree to furnish labor & material
paint & Kalsomine the walls & ceiling of hall in Second Story of
the Corcoran Gallery of Art as follows
the flats of the panels in ceiling are to be Kalsomined in
a solid color the mouldings of ceiling & the cornice at the base
of ceiling are to be Kalsomined in colors & relieved with bronze
the center piece is to be Kalsomined & relieved with bronze and
gold leaf the capitols bases of columns and arches are to be
relieved with bronze
the side walls is to receive one (1) coat of preparation and
three (3) coats of paint, the painted wood work is to be rubbed
down with sand paper and to receive two (2) coats of paint
the work to be done with the best material and in
a workman like manner for the sum of three
hundred & twenty five dollars \$325.00

Respectfully
Submitted J. C. Newton

713 18th NW.

No. 4823

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Schneider C. A. & Sons.

Residence

Date June 7. 1889,

Rec'd " 8 "

Ack'd

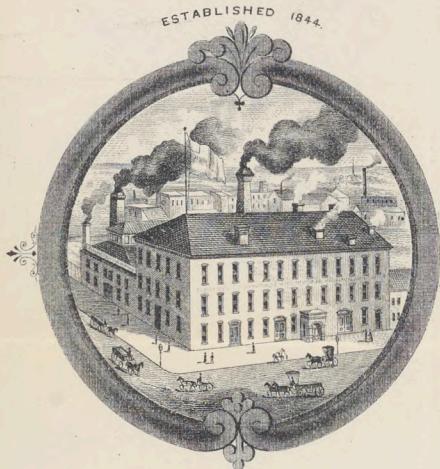
Answered

SUBJECT.

Will repair cellar door
for \$12.

Will put up iron gate
to 17th st cellar entrance
for \$35

Accepted



Washington, D.C. June 8/89

Corcoran Art Gallery

Guilmette,
We will repair cellar door
& relead Grating for the sum of Twelve Dollars
(\$12⁰⁰)

We will also make & put up
Gate to door in cellar for the sum of Thirty five
Dollars (\$35⁰⁰)

Very Respectfully
C. A. Schneider

No. 4824

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

James Colman & E. B. Pierce.

Residence

Date June 8. 1889

Rec'd

Ack'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Proposal to build stone
walls of Annex,
\$2.²⁵ per perch.

Accepted June 8. 1889,

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Washington D. C.,

June 8 1889,

We the undersigned, propose to build
the walls required for the Annex to the
north of "The Corcoran Gallery of Art", taking
down and making use of the stone in
the present area wall, furnishing lime
and sharp river sand, and doing the same
in a workmanlike manner, and as directed,
for the sum of two dollars and twenty five
cents ($\$2^{25}$) per perch.

It is understood that cement for
the work will be furnished by the gallery.

James Coleman
E. K. Pierce

Duplicate

Washington D.C. June 8 1889,

We the undersigned, propose to build the stone walls required for the Annex to the north of the Bocoran Gallery of Art", taking down and making use of the stone in the present area wall, furnishing lime and sharp river sand, and doing the same in a workmanlike manner, and as directed, for the sum of two dollars and twenty five cents (\$2²⁵) per perch.

It is understood that cement for the work will be furnished by the gallery.

James Coleman
E. B. Peier

No. 4825

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Ford L. Jr.

Residence

Date June 20. 1889,

Rec'd

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Proposal to furnish
brick for \$8- per
thousand.

Accepted

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Accepted June 22/89.

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Washington D.C. ¹²
June, 20th 1889
E. Clark, architect, U.S. C.,
Sir

I will furnish the
Brick required in view
of Coronian Art. Gallery
at eight dollars per
thousand (\$8.00) all
to be good Hard Brick
with Dark Red for the
outside walls.

Very Respectfully
Chas. F. Young
Per W. F. Young

No. 4826

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Newton J. C.

Residence 713. 18th street.

Date June 25. 1889,

Rec'd 26 "

Ack'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Proposal to paint.

Skylight sash -	\$30.00	^{25.00}
Windows (outside wood-work)	69.00	^{56.00}
To grain Case	33.00	^{25.00}
Repaint ceilings - of corner galleries.	90.00	^{70.00}

Accepted July 8. 1889.

This first line is indicated of the figures scratched through.

WALL PAINTING
A SPECIALTY

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KALSOMINING, GRAINING,
GLAZING, &c.

HOUSE, SIGN J. C. NEWTON,
713 Eighteenth Street, N. W. AND DECORATIVE PAINTER,
Bet. Penn. Ave. and G Street.

Washington, D. C. July 20 1889

Dr Barbarin

Dear Sir

I propose & agree to furnish labor & material and
paint & Kalsomine the following work upon the interior & exterior of
the Corcoran Gallery of Art

paint with three (3) ^{coats} on the two (2) sides all the interior skylights
for the sum of — twenty five dollars \$ 25.00

Reglaze the glass where necessary & paint with two (2) coats the out-
side wood work of all the windows on four (4) sides of buildg
for the sum of fifty six dollars \$ 56.00

paint grain & varnish in imitation of walnut the large case
in office. for the sum of twenty five dollars \$ 25.00

Clean off the old & re Kalsomine the ceilings & touch up the cornices
where stained in the two (2) side galleries for the sum of \$ 70.00
the work to be done with the best material and in a workman-
like manner

Respectfully Submitted

J. C. Newton No 713 18th St. NW

No. 4827.

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.



WRITER.

Barbarini Dr. F. S.

Residence Curator C.G.A.

Date July 1. 1889

Rec'd To Committee on Building

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Ans authority for work of
cleaning & repairs in the
Gallery during the summer.

Approved

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The Corcoran Gallery of Art.
Washington D. C. July 1, 1889.

To the Committee on the Building.

Gentlemen

Under authority

given the Committee on the Building by
the Board of Trustees on June 10. 1889, I
respectfully ask to have the following approved,
with permission to have the work done.

1. To engage a sufficient force at laborers
wages, during the time the gallery is
closed, for general cleaning.
2. To have the cellars whitewashed where
necessary.
3. To have the marble statues in the
niches on the outside of the building
cleaned and washed (to be done with the
cleaning force engaged)
4. To have the floors varnished or brightened
in some manner. (The material to be purchased
and the work done by the cleaning force)

5. To have the carpets cleaned.
6. To replace broken fire-brick, and clean furnace (p 33.)
7. To have the steam coils examined and put in order.
8. To have the photograph case in the Annex to the Trustees room, grained. This work was postponed from last summer to allow the wood to become thoroughly seasoned.
9. To have a more convenient & appropriate stand made at a moderate cost, for the exhibition of photographs at the Janitors desk. The table now in use is unsuitable and unsightly.
10. To have an inside iron gate made for the cellar entrance on 17th street, for the protection of the cellar when the outside door is opened for ventilation. The iron shutters are breaking from their hinges, and need repair.
11. To have the outside wood-work of the windows painted. The windows were painted four years ago, and require it for the preservation of the wood.
12. To have the doors of the entrance to the gallery cleaned & brightened.

I respectfully submit estimates from J. C. Norton for painting which was ordered by the Board of Trustees June 10. 1889, and also a bid from C. A. Schneider & Sons for repair of cellar doors, and iron gate.

Very respectfully

Approved London Aug 8 1889

Edward Clark.

Curator

A. Hyde

Conrad Horne

No. 4828.

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Emmatt & Quarterly,
Residence 525- 13th street N.W.

Date July 1. 1889.

Rec'd

Ack'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

To paint walls and
ceiling of hall over
main stairway, \$185-
Accepted July 8. 1889

Gildings of corner galleries
\$100

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**EMMART & QUARTLEY,
FRESCO & HOUSE
PAINTERS.**

For Dwellings, Churches and Public Buildings,
ESTIMATES AND DESIGNS FURNISHED.

OFFICE NO. 525 13TH STREET, N. W.,

Washington, D. C. July 1 1889

Francis S. Barbarin

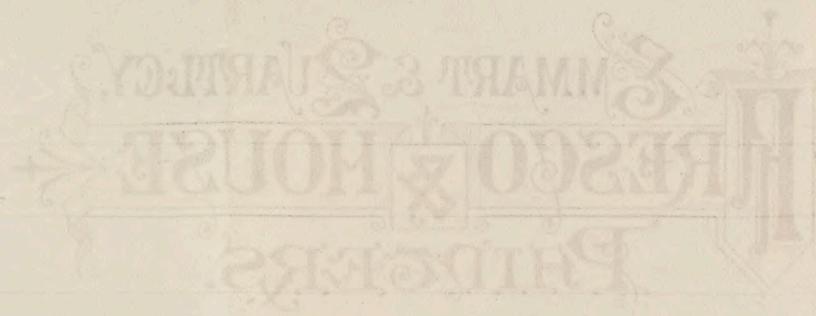
Curator of Corcoran Gallery of Art

Dear Sir

We propose to
erect Scaffolding, repair plaster, wash off
ceiling and side walls of 2nd story Hall way
of Corcoran Gallery of Art, tint the ceiling,
ceiling moldings and cornices of same in
Tusco Color in tones desired, richly illuminate
all moldings and stucco ornamentation
with Bronzes, paint the side walls in
oil, three coats of color desired, paint the
wood work now painted with two coats of
oil color, and restore the surface of the
Hard Wood trim for the sum of One
Hundred and Eighty-five Dollars (\$185.00).

We also propose to erect Scaffolding
in the Gallery containing "Ogle Taylor Collection"
and wash off and tint the Cove and cornice of
same for the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00)

We also propose to erect Scaffolding and
wash off and tint Cove and cornice of
South Eastern Gallery for the sum of Fifty
Dollars (\$50.00) - providing in the case of



FOR LEASING

BY THE OWNER'S AGENTS AND NOTRE

the two last Propositions that we may be
allowed to finish the Hallway first so
that we can use the same Scaffolding.

Very Respectfully
Emmett Quarterly

No. 4829

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Bradbury J. B.

Residence 1503. Penn. Ave.

Date July 2. 1889.

Rec'd

Ack'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

To do the Steam Heating
work in addition for.

~~for a sum of \$500.~~

Pd a/c Sep 20. \$ 200 -

Nov. 30 100

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BRADBURY STEAM HEATING CO.,

No. ~~1014~~¹⁵⁰³ Pennsylvania Avenue N. W.,

TELEPHONE 438-2

Washington, D. C. July 2nd 1889

F. B. Barberin Esq.

Corcoran Corcoran Galleries of Art

Dear Sir

I will do the Steam Heating work for the new addition to the Galleries, furnishing neatly bronzed Bundy patent radiators of ample size where shown on plans each radiator to be furnished with wood handle nickel plated valves and automatic air valves. and the job to be done in a workmanlike manner and guaranteed capable of thoroughly warming the building in zero weather. Main pipe from boiler to be covered. Radiators and exposed pipes to be finished in best Gold bronze

The heating surface in life class room will be ~~of~~ capable of heating the room to 80° in zero weather. I will do the above for the sum of Five Hundred (\$500.00) dollars

Very Respectfully
F. B. Bradbury

No. 4830.

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Dent C. L. & Co.

Residence 1413 G. Street,

Date July 10. 1889,

Rec'd

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Proposal for heating
apparatus for addition

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Delivered

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Washington, D. C. July 10 1887

The Corcoran Art Gallery.
Washington D. C.

We offer to furnish labor and material and
erect an addition to the heating apparatus of the Gallery as follows:

Furnish and set on the 1st & 2nd floor of addition, 11 Bimby
standard steam radiators, containing 675 square feet of surface, each
radiator, to have N.P. controlling valves on steam and return pipe and
one automatic air valve. Run a 2½" steam main from boiler,
reducing and connecting to radiators, the return main to be 2".

Cover the 2½" main with Magnesia covering. If the rising
pipes are to be concealed, chase must be left and covered, in
walls by builders. Radiator and exposed pipe above basement
to be finished in best gold bronze. We guarantee the radia-
tors to heat the rooms where placed to 70° Fahr in zero weather.

All material and labor furnished to the best and the work
executed in a workmanlike manner. We offer to put in
plant as above for the sum of Six-hundred $\frac{3}{4}$ Thirteen Dollars
\$613⁰⁰ we remain

Yours truly
Edward L. Dent & Co